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MARYLAND GAZETTE.

THURSDAY, JULY 15, 1773.

TANGIER, *April* 14.

ON Monday last, between five and six in the morning, we were alarmed by a very violent shock of an earthquake, which lasted about two minutes, and has destroyed 98 houses, and shaken the town so much, that the remining houses must be rebuilt. We hear of only three lives lost; but numbers of the inhabitants have been dragged from under the ruins very much bruised. Yesterday about half an hour after eleven we felt another shock, though not so violent as the former.

GENOA, *April* 22. A French tartane which arrived here yesterday has brought an order for the consul of that nation to stop all the French seamen in this port, and send them to Toulon, to serve on board the fleet fitting out there. The captain of this tartane is charged with the same orders for the French consuls at all the ports of the Mediterranean.

WARSAW, *April* 28. The king signed the act of confederacy the 22d instant, and 24 hours after prince Czartorinski, grand chancellor of Lithuania, and prince Lubomirski, grand marshal, with 24 senators, followed his majesty's example.

The last letters from Moldavia inform us, that field marshal count de Romanzoff had received orders from Petersburgh to recommence the operations against the turks, and to pass the Danube at the head of his army; but that general hath represented to the court, that it was impossible for him to do so at present, on account of the great draught which prevails in the countries, where there is an absolute want of forage; but that in the mean time he will send some detachments to the other side of the said river.

They write from Petersburgh, that the court will soon publish a declaration concerning the preservation of peace and a good understanding with that of Stockholm.

From the VISTULA, *April* 28. It is pretended, that count Poninski, marshal of the diet, is charged, on the part of Russia, to propose a new form of government for the provinces which shall remain to Poland.

LONDON,

April 28. Letters by the last mail from Dublin mention, that 200 natives of that kingdom had just embarked on board a ship in the river Liffey, for the island of St. John's, Newfoundland, where they are now going to settle.

April 29. The Mackarel, Capt. Dorset, from South-Carolina to Cowes, foundered at sea the 4th instant. The crew were taken up by another ship, and carried into Lowestoffe.

Agents are now employed in several parts of England, buying up horses for an army, but whether for the English, French, Danish, or Prussian army, is at present a secret.

A certain great man in office, it is said, opposed Mr. Wilkes's taking his seat, merely because of the damning proofs he had, ready to produce, of his being an enemy to the true interest of his country.

Though it may not be for our interest, in case of a war, to be without the Dutch, yet it may justly be deemed high policy, if they can maintain a perfect neutrality in the present jangling state of Europe.

Monday a very capital house in this city stopped payment.

Extract of a letter from Madrid, April 1.

"The formidable preparations, which are making in the sea-ports of Spain, and the great numbers of soldiers raised and mostly embarked for the West and East-Indies, certainly indicate that a war is not far off; but with what power, the most obtruse speculators of our politicians cannot develope with any just degree of certainty."

HOUSE OF COMMONS.

On Monday, upon the house resolving itself into a committee of the whole house to take into consideration the state of the East-India company's affairs, Lord North arose and observed, that, throughout the whole examination, which the house had made of the East-India business, nothing could have been more attentive to their interest than himself, in his motions; and also the house in accepting them. That it was evident, the publick would suffer from the very faulty way in which the company had conducted their affairs, even to the loss of 400,000l. a year; and now, instead of that receipt, were obliged in policy, to lend the company near four times that sum. That, although in future, there was a prospect of a large advantage on the side of the publick, so there ought certainly to be on every consideration. That he had now, in a general pursuance of these favourable ideas of the company, a proposal to make, which would be wholly to their advantage. It was to allow the company to export such parts of the tea at present in their warehouse, as they should think proper, duty free. This would be prodigiously to the advantage of the company, as they had at present above 17,000,000lb. by them. The converting a part of it into money, would greatly ease them, and be attended with those good consequences which are now so necessary to re establish their affairs. That this measure would be lessening the revenue of the customs; yet he had proposed it merely with a view to give the company all possible assistance. This was agreed to.

May 6. A petition is presented to a great assembly by the clothiers and manufacturers of Devonshire kerseys and plain cloth, setting forth, that their manufactory is greatly reduced, owing, as they apprehend, to the great consumption of Russia drabs, and other low foreign linens; and praying, that an additional duty may be laid on low foreign linens. Referred to a committee.

Yesterday the commons agreed to the report of their resolution of Monday, for leave to bring in a bill for the better management of the affairs of the East-India company, not only in India, but Europe, and the committee to sit again next Tuesday.

Yesterday being the adjourned day for the meeting of the creditors of Sir George Colebrooke, Messr. Leffingham and Binns, the committee appointed at the general meeting of the 4th of April last, for inspecting as well the accounts of the shop, as the state and particulars of Sir George Colebrooke's separate estate and effects, made their report, which being read, gave such entire satisfaction to all the creditors present, that they unanimously recommended it to Sir George to venture upon his banking business forthwith, in the names of himself, and Messr. Leffingham and Binns, it clearly appearing, by the report of the said committee, and by the accounts produced and laid before the creditors at this meeting, that there is not only sufficient to pay the creditors their full debts with interest, but an overplus coming to Sir George, and his family, of at least 190,000l.

The master of a vessel just arrived from France assures us, that a squadron of men of war sailed from Brest last month, but it was not known what course they steered; the following ships were said to be among the above squadron, Le Serieux 66, Le Diamant 50, Le Jason 52, Le Rubis 52, and La Gloire of 44 guns.

Advice is received from Copenhagen, that orders were given for some Danish men of war to be fitted out with the greatest expedition, for the security of his Majesty's subjects in the Mediterranean.

By advices from Morocco, we learn, that the Emperor's second son had gone off, with almost all his father's treasures, and had retired into the country, at the head of a numerous body of rebels, and when the letters came away the emperor was preparing to follow him with a powerful army.

Yesterday General Parker kissed his majesty's hand on being appointed colonel of the 20th regiment of foot, in the room of Bernard Hale.

It is said, every engine of G——t is now at work to avert the storms in the political horizon, and the reason is obvious, the very existence of our present M——rs depends on their pacifick measures.

May 11. The Providence, Ramsay, from South-Carolina, is arrived at Falmouth; and the Eagle, Roogin, from ditto, at Whitehaven.

The Providence, Porritt, from North Carolina, is arrived at Plymouth.

The Kent, Richard Wood, from London, is safe arrived at Dunkirk.

May 13. Tuesday morning his Excellency the Danish ambassador had the honour of a very long conference with his majesty at the Queen's palace.

It is said that two letters of a very singular nature have been received by a great person within these few days from the court of Brunswick.

Sir George Savile has in the most polite and respectful terms, by a letter to Mr. Wilkes and Mr. Serjeant Glynn, thanked the freeholders of Middlesex for the great honour done him by the resolution of the 30th of April, and assured them of his persevering in his endeavours to support and defend the rights of election, in which they are so materially interested.

The ministry and the late opposition are now equally assiduous in examining all the transactions of the famous Year 1720, and it is imagined that to morrow will produce a like bill of pains and penalties. The South sea directors were only accused of peculation. The charges against our nabobs are peculation, assassination, and forgery. The chief of them has been lately rewarded with the lord lieutenancy of an English county; but as he has not given enough, and kept for himself his best diamonds, and most valuable plunder, notwithstanding his secret repeated promises and asseverations, it is thought he will now be obliged to disgorge the whole of his ill-gotten treasure.

May 15. Yesterday Sir Harbord Harbord moved for leave to bring in a bill to amend and explain an act of Philip and Mary, relative to hawkers and pedlers, and to prevent persons from selling goods and wares by auction, except at the places of their residence, which was agreed.

Yesterday Mr. C. Fox made a motion that leave be given to bring in a bill for repealing a clause in an act of the 31st of the late king, which inflicts a capital punishment for forging any of the hall marks on gold or silver plate, and to make the same in future only transportation. This is intended to keep pace with a clause to the same effect, in the Sheffield and Birmingham alloy bill.

Yesterday leave was given to bring in a bill for regulating the silk trade of this kingdom, Mr. Whitworth and Mr. Alderman Harley proposed two clauses, which were referred to the committee appointed to bring in the bill.

The Eland road bill, after a short debate, was postponed for four months.

Lord North, when the order of the day for taking into further consideration the affairs of the East-India company was read, moved that it should be deferred to Tuesday next, which was agreed to.

The second reading of the bill for preventing vexatious removals of the poor came on in the house of commons, and after a tedious and uninteresting debate was committed.

The petition of the shipwrights is deferred till Monday, when it is expected it will be finally determined.

From the unreasonable demands of the house of commons towards the East-India company, and the difficulties, as well as hazards they must run in giving into the requisitions of parliament, they have it as their last resource to seek that aid from the mercantile part of this metropolis, which they applied for from the senate; and yesterday, on a subscription being proposed, an eminent baronet, and a publick spirited merchant, proposed subscribing 150,000l.

May 17. On Tuesday and Wednesday last, we hear, there were no less than 350 seamen discharged at the different rendezvous houses in London; but the minister has since changed his mind.

Extract of a letter from Portsmouth, May 14.

"Yesterday morning orders came down to put a stop to the reduction of the navy, and for the six men of war which were to have sailed for Plymouth yesterday, to be detained; for no more men to be discharged, but on the contrary for the fifteen sail of the line which were before ordered for sea, to take on board their full complement of men, and to compleat their stores and provisions directly."

Amongst the characters at the masquerade on Wednesday, a double mask (half beau, half farmer) had much merit; an old maid, in a large hoop and a yellow sacque, was inimitable; a turtle-gorged, horned alderman, not bad; a sailor, who did not lose his share of praise; a Merlin, by no means despicable; a Mungo, who would not have disgraced a Weston; a schoolmaster, in character; and a garreteer poet, natural and praise-worthy. For the rest, they consisted of harlequins without number or activity, and friars without meaning or merit. An excellent beggarman's mask was generally looked upon as the best supported in the room; for the first part of the evening it was supposed to contain our modern Roscius, but, on the gentleman's unmasking towards the morning, he discovered a countenance different from Mr. Garrick's, but so inimitably disguised, that it was an absolute impossibility to distinguish who he was. A scene or two between this character and the double mask mentioned above, afforded no small entertainment to the company.

The gentleman who figured in the character of a beggarman at the Pantheon masquerade, laid a trifling wager that he collected in the streets money enough to pay for his ticket, and really did get by begging before he went to the masquerade, from about nine till twelve, very near three pounds. In one coffee-house particularly he told his dismal tale so well, that he drew thirteen and sixpence from the company present.

May 19. The following letter was sent by the gentlemen of the bill of rights to the spirited opposition of Northumberland, Cumberland and Durham, with whom they have carried on a correspondence, and it is much to be wished that other counties and corporations throughout the kingdom would follow their example, the publick would then soon feel the effects of such noble institutions.

London tavern, May 4, 1773.

Sir WATKIN LEWES in the chair.

"Gentlemen,

"We beg leave again to assure you, that your respectable association is esteemed by us an acquisition of the highest importance to the publick.

"That the spirit of the constitutional liberty should diffuse itself through every part of this extensive empire, is the object nearest our hearts.

"We congratulate you on your progress, and wish to co-operate with you in your extensive ideas of freedom. Accept, gentlemen, our thanks for the spirited and decisive part you have taken, in support of the violated rights of election, and for your necessary declaration in favour of short parliaments.

"In these measures we cannot express our too hearty concurrence. If it is with deference, directors, we presume to hint our opinion of two more additions. The freeholders of Middlesex have set a generous example, without a place and pension bill, and an equal representation of the people, in our opinion, a triennial or even an annual bill would prove ineffectual.

* We truſt therefore, gentlemen, that as you have hitherto coincided happily in opinion with this ſociety, on the preſent occaſion we ſhall not differ. It will afford the higheſt ſatisfaction to us, to find that at your next general meeting our confidence is well founded, and that we ſhall continue to be (agreeable to our wiſhes) the ſteady and unanimous friends of liberty.

Signed by requeſt of the ſociety WATKIN LEWES, chairman."

The publick may be aſſured, that the orders ſent laſt week to ſtop thoſe guard-ſhips that were intended to go back to their ſtation at Plymouth, was ſolely owing to an intention of his majeſty to review all the 20 guard-ſhips at Spithead, together with ſome frigates, after the birth-day, and that the reports of a jealouſy of the French and Spaniards not having diſarmed is totally void of foundation, their late fleet at Toulon being diſarmed and laid up in ordinary, and the Spaniards alſo; and that after his majeſty's review the guardſhips will be ſeparated and appointed to their proper ſtations at Portſmouth, Plymouth, and Chatham.

A genteel FORTUNE to be gained.

ANY gentleman of good character and connexions, has now the opportunity to be concerned in one of the moſt lucrative manufactories that ever was brought to America, and by directing a line for A. B. to be left with the printer of this paper, will be waited on with a full explanation by the advertiſer: it is deſired that none but people that have a full intent to buſineſs will anſwer this, as many may want to ſatisfy curioſity, and none but principals will be treated with, as this is no viſionary ſcheme, but a well digeſted plan of trade, founded on a ſure ſale and real profits, and grounded on events abſolutely certain.

Anne Arundel county, July 12, 1773.

On the third day of Auguſt next, will be ſold on the premiſes, at publick vendue,

ONE hundred acres of land, whereon the ſubſcriber formerly lived, on which are two tenements, one of them being well improved, having a dwelling-houſe 20 feet by 16, under which is a cellar walled with ſtone, kitchen, quarter, tobacco-houſe, and other neceſſary buildings; there are two valuable apple orchards on ſaid land, with other fruit trees. The land is ſituated within a ſmall diſtance of ſeveral valuable water-mills. The ſoil is good; on which is ſome meadow ground partly cleared, well watered, and timber enough to ſupport the land with care. For title and terms apply to w3 WILLIAM HAMS, ſon of George.

July 12, 1773.

To be ſold, on Wedneſday the 28th of July, by the ſubſcriber at Fielderea furnace, in Frederick county,

THE following tracts of land, contiguous to each other, twelve miles from Frederick-town, and three from Patowmack river; foreſt of Needwood, 300 acres; Hawkins's plains, 390 acres; Sweed's marſh, 300 acres; and Fertile meadow, 100 acres: there are four improvements, an orchard of three hundred apple trees of choice fruit, a good tobacco-houſe, and four dwelling houſes. This land is well adapted to tobacco or farming, lying level and clear of ſtone, plentifully ſupplied with conſtant ſprings, well timbered with oak, hickory, locuſt, &c. it will be ſold together or in lots, as may ſuit the purchaſer, and

2w FEILDER GAUNT.

July 13, 1773.

To be ſold at publick vendue, on Friday the 15th of October next, at the late dwelling-houſe of Samuel Wickham, of Frederick county, deceaſed, viz.

A TRACT of land containing twenty-ſix acres, another tract containing one hundred acres, adjoining the other, both lying on Monockacy creek, whereon are two framed dwelling-houſes, about fifty acres of cleared land, and ſome in good timothy graſs; alſo one other tract, containing one hundred acres, lying on Fiſhing creek, in the county aforeſaid; whereon is a good dwelling-houſe, ſome out houſes, about forty acres of cleared land, and ſeveral acres of timothy graſs: there is on the ſaid land, a convenient place for building a griſt-mill.—Alſo all perſons indebted to the eſtate of the above-ſaid Wickham, are deſired to make immediate payment, and thoſe who have any juſt claims againſt ſaid eſtate, are requeſted to bring in their accounts regularly proved, that they may be adjuſted, by

JOSEPH WOOD, junr. executor.

Elk Ridge Landing, June 20, 1773.

I have juſt imported in the Nancy, Capt. Couſon, and have for ſale at my ſtore, at this place,

A LARGE and general aſſortment of merchandize, which I will ſell by wholeſale or retail, at a low advance, for good bills of exchange, caſh, or very ſhort credit.

All perſons indebted to me, are requeſted to come and ſettle their accounts before the firſt day of Auguſt, as I am determined to collect my debts without reſpect to perſons, and ſhall be ſorry to take ſteps which muſt be diſagreeable as well as chargeable to all thoſe who do not comply, as well as to their

Very humble ſervant,

JOHN DORSEY.

Prince-George's county, July 6, 1773.

COMMITTED to my cuſtody as a runaway, negro Tom, who ſays he belongs to William Carr near Benedict. His maſter is deſired to pay charges and take him from RALPH FORSTER, ſheriff.

Frederick county, June 7, 1773.

To be ſold for ſterling caſh, London bills of exchange, or current money,

THE plantation where the ſubſcriber now dwells, ſituated and lying in the ſaid county, on Linganore, containing 600 acres of land; there are on ſaid plantation two good dwelling-houſes, corn-houſe, ſtables, meat-houſe, two good tobacco-houſes, a good apple and cherry orchard, between 30 and 40 acres of meadow under good fence, part of the ſaid fown down in timothy, and with little expence the other part may be made in as good order; there are alſo on the ſaid land, 30 or 40 acres of meadow, which has not been cleared or fenced in; the land well adapted for farming or planting, and as fine range for ſtock as any in the province. The title indiſputable. Alſo, a lot of land at Elk-Ridge Landing, in Anne-Arundel county, within eight miles of Baltimore-town, with a good ſtore-houſe and counting-room, 30 feet by 18, a good granery, 34 by 20, and a ſtable. The lot lies very convenient for trade. The improvements all new. Any perſon or perſons inclinable to purchaſe the ſaid land, may view the premiſes at any time by applying to the ſubſcriber, and may be put in poſſeſſion of the ſaid land, by the 20th Sept. next. They may alſo view the lot and improvements, by applying to Mr. Joſhua Dorſey, at Elk Ridge Landing. w4 BENJAMIN DORSEY.

South-river, July 14, 1773.

To be ſold, by the Subſcribers, agreeable to the laſt will and teſtament of Joſeph Brewer, deceaſed, on Tueſday the 24th of Auguſt next, on the premiſes, if fair, if not, the next fair day,

ABOUT 150 acres of land, more or leſs, lying in Anne-Arundel county, ſituated on South-river, near London-town. The ſoil is good; on it is a dwelling-houſe and kitchen, with a brick chimney, corn-houſe, barn, ſtable, and ſeveral other convenient houſes. For terms apply to

JOSEPH BREWER, } Executors of Joſeph Brewer,
SAMUEL GEIST, } deceaſed. w5

Elk-Ridge Furnace, July 5, 1773.

ALL perſons indebted to the ſubſcriber for ſtore-goods, bar-iron, or other commodity, are deſired to come and pay off, or otherwiſe ſettle the ſame within one month from the date hereof, elſe they will be ſued without delay or reſpect to perſons.

SAMUEL DORSEY, junr.

Baltimore-town, June 24, 1773.

WAS left in my care the 8th inſtant, a bay mare by a perſon unknown, who ſaid ſhe was the property of one Summer Tintles, living ſix miles from Frederick-town. The ſaid mare is branded on the near buttock S T, and on the ſhoulder H, a white ſpot on both ſides the neck, ſuppoſed to be hurt with a collar, the off foot white, and is ſhod before, has a ſtar in her forehead, and ſwitch tail. The owner is deſired to come and prove his property, pay charges, and take her away, from William Adams, tavern-keeper, at the ſign of the running horſes, in Baltimore-town.

Gunpowder mill, July 5, 1773.

RAN away laſt night from my mill, on the great falls of Gunpowder, in Baltimore county, Maryland, two Iriſh indented ſervant men, viz. William Stackabout, about 50 years of age, and about 5 feet 10 inches high: had on, and took with him, an old blue coat, black jacket and breeches, two pair of oſnabrig trouſers, one check ſhirt, one oſnabrig ditto, an old brown cut wig, a new felt hat, a pair of yarn ſtockings, and one pair of old patched ſhoes. Cornelius Shane, about 23 or 24 years old, and about 5 feet 6 Inches high: had on, and took with him, a ſuit of brown coarſe cloth, one check ſhirt, one oſnabrig ditto, one pair of oſnabrig trouſers, one pair of blue yarn ſtockings, one pair of old ſhoes, with yellow metal buckles, a brown dreſs wig, one old caſtor hat, one cooper's broad-axe, with the helve drooping; and an old drawing knife; they are both coopers by trade. Whoever takes up the ſaid ſervants, ſo as the ſubſcriber may have them again, ſhall receive, if taken 10 miles from home, three pounds; if 20 miles, four pounds; and if out of the province, ſix pounds; and if only one, the above reward in proportion, with reaſonable charges, if brought home, paid by

4w BENJAMIN ROGERS.

N. B. Stackabout is a thin faced man; the other is a round faced man, pitted with the ſmall pox a little; they both talk much in the Iriſh dialect.

Anne-Arundel county, July 14, 1773.

COMMITTED to my cuſtody as runaways, the four following perſons, viz. John Hambleton, and James Adams, both Iriſhmen, and ſays they belong to a ſhip from Glaſgow, commanded by Captain William Mackie, and that they left her in Patowmack.—Bartholomew Leary, an elderly Iriſhman, who ſays he belongs to James Offord, near the falls of Patowmack.—John Obriant, an Iriſhman, and ſays he belongs to Mr. Samuel Dorſey, Iron-maſter, on Elk-Ridge. Their maſters are requeſted to take them away and pay charges.

WILLIAM NOKE, Sheriff.

THE Land office iſſue warrants as formerly, and all perſons who have made application for warrants or any kind of buſineſs in that office, are deſired to apply, that they may not loſe the benefit of ſuch application.

Signed for order,

WILLIAM STEUART, C. L. O.

ALL perſons indebted to the eſtate of the late Lord Baltimore (except for land ſold by the commiſſioners) are deſired to make immediate payment to Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer, Eſq; who is empowered to receive the ſame; thoſe who neglect to comply with this requiſition, may depend that ſuits will be commenced againſt them without reſpect to perſons. ROBERT EDEN, Executor.

ANY Perſon wanting Searches made in the Rentals for the Weſtern Shore of this Province may apply to J. CLAPHAM.

July 7, 1773.

To be ſold by the ſubſcriber at publick vendue, on Tueſday the 10th day of Auguſt next, on the premiſes, if fair, if not the next fair day,

ABOUT two hundred acres of land, being part of that tract of land called Davis's Purchaſe, lying in the fork of Patuxent, about 16 miles from Elk-Ridge Landing, and about 6 miles from Snowdons iron-works; there is on the premiſes an exceeding good apple and peach orchard; the land is ſuitable either for planting or farming; the purchaſer will be put into poſſeſſion the 25th of December next, and have the liberty to ſow grain this ſummer. STEPHEN STEWARD.

July 7, 1773.

WILLIAM AIKMAN,

Bookſeller and ſtationer in Weſt-ſtreet Annapolis,

ON Monday laſt opened his circulating library conſiſting of above 12 hundred volumes of the moſt uſeful ſciences, hiſtory, poetry, agriculture, voyages, travels, miſcellanies, plays, with all the moſt approved of novels, magazines and other books of entertainment, to be lent out to read at one guinea per year, 20 ſhillings for ſix months, 12 ſhillings per quarter, 5 ſhillings per month, or 3 pence per night. Readers at any diſtance from Annapolis to be allowed two books at a time. As the library will be of real utility to the publick, and as the proprietor will take care to have it ſupplied with all the new publications of merit from Britain ſo ſoon as publiſhed, he hopes it will meet with encouragement from the friends of literature.

He has likewiſe imported a large aſſortment of moſt of the books in the library for ſale. The beſt editions printed on a fine paper, handſome type and neatly bound. All different kinds of gilt and plain, cut and uncut writing paper, gilt, plain and engraved meſſage cards, turky pocket books and letter caſes, folio and quarto paper books, ruled and unruled, memorandum-books of all different ſizes, wax, wafers, pens, penknives, pencils, ivory ſolders and all different kinds of ſtationary, with an aſſortment of jewellery, to be ſold at the London prices for caſh only.

Paper ruled and bound for accounts, all kinds of books bound and re-bound in the neateſt manner and at the moſt reaſonble rates, by

WILLIAM AIKMAN.

N. B. Catalogues both of the library and the books he has for ſale to be had at his ſhop.

Annapolis, June 29, 1773.

AS the ſubſcriber, maſter of the French tongue, has met with good encouragement in this city: he giveth notice to the publick, that he purpoſes to teach the French and Engliſh grammar, for the term of 2 years from this date; his ſchool ſhall be kept in the moſt convenient place in this city, where ſhall be taught, reading, writing, and arithmetick, in both languages, with the utmoſt care and aſſiduity, by their humble ſervant

4w JOSEPH PAILLOTTET.

N. B. He alſo attends ladies and gentlemen at their particular abodes.

Annapolis, July 3, 1773.

THE ſubſcriber, living in Weſtmoreland county in the colony of Virginia, having been impowered by an act of aſſembly of this province, to ſell and diſpoſe of the lots, buildings and improvements whereon John Morton Jordan, Eſq; deceaſed, lately reſided, hereby gives notice, that he will diſpoſe of the ſame, agreeable to the truſt in the ſaid act mentioned, by private ſale, to any perſon or perſons inclinable to purchaſe them, at any time between the date hereof and the 29th day of September next enſuing, at which time (if not before diſpoſed of) they will be expoſed to publick ſale upon the premiſes, between the hours of 10 and 12 in the forenoon. The terms of ſale and the time of credit will then be made known by

ts WILLIAM BERNARD.

Annapolis, May 26, 1773.

THE ſubſcriber who ſerved his time with Mr. Thomas Callahan of this city, has juſt opened ſhop at Mr. Martin Waters's, oppoſite John Ridout's, Eſq; where he intends to carry on the tailoring buſineſs in all its branches. Thoſe gentlemen that will favour him with their cuſtom, may depend on having their work done in the neateſt and moſt reaſonable manner, by

Their moſt obedient humble ſervant,

6w LEWIS LEWIS.

TAKEN up by Samuel Hunt, in Baltimore county, a gray ſtray horſe, 13 hands and a half high, branded ſomething like 87(The owner may him again on proving property and paying charges.

July 2, 1773.

TO BE SOLD BY THE SUBSCRIBER,

THE plantation or tract of land whereon he now lives, containing about 15 hundred acres more or less, with all and singular the improvements thereon; there are a convenient and well built brick dwelling house 45 by 35, a large and convenient kitchen, a new barn, and several good tobacco houses, a new stable, store house, and many other houses too tedious to mention, a large and commodious garden well paled in, an extraordinary good apple orchard of the best kinds of fruit, and several tenements in good repair. There are two grist mills, viz. a new and well built geare mill, 4 breast compleatly finished, with a fine pair of large Cologn stones, a bolting chest well fixed and in good order, with a compleat set of bolting clothes, a tub mill with two pair of large Cologn stones, about 3 years old, all in good repair; the mills have gained by the toll 10 bushels of grain per day ever since the new mill was finished, which was in March last, and could do much more if plenty of work; there are about 10 acres of well improved meadow in very fine timothy, and 4 or 5 hundred acres more may be made, as there is that quantity of bottom land, with a fine stream of water through it. There is a large and convenient piece of tobacco land sufficient to make 40 hogsheads of tobacco per year, a corn field, likely to make this year 5 hundred barrels, all under good fence, which the purchaser may have liberty to sow grain in this fall, and which is extraordinary good for wheat, and will I think produce as much to the acre as any land in the province; there is plenty of good pasture ground, and convenient to the houses; there is no incumbrance upon the land, except that of my being security to the office in Annapolis for some money, which the purchaser may take upon himself in part of pay for the land. Any one inclinable to purchase may view the lands and know the terms any time before the 15th instant, as I shall be at home, and likewise all the first of next month. The land is pleasantly situated in St. Mary's county, about two miles from Leonard-town, and about five from Cole's warehouse upon Patuxent; and the houses are upon a fine piece of rising ground, in sight of most of the best lands. Twelve months credit may be had for great part of the purchase money, upon paying interest; and as I intend to leave this province next spring, I must desire all indebted to me to make immediate payment, otherwise they must expect to be be dealt with as the law directs, and those to whom I am indebted may depend upon as speedy and as agreeable a payment as possible,

By their humble servant,

w2 ATHANASIUS FORD.

Fredericksburg, Virginia, June 28, 1773.

THE subscriber has for sale the following tracts of land in Fairfax county: one on Pohick run about 5 miles from Colchester, and the same distance from Pohick warehouse, containing 957 acres, the other on Four Mile Run, about 4 mile from Alexandria, containing 1225 acres; the soil of both is stiff and well suited to wheat, the last tract is very level; both have a sufficiency of exceeding good meadow ground unimproved, and very valuable mill seats. It being very inconvenient for me to attend at such a distance, Col. George Mason of Gunston in Fairfax has the plats and title papers, and is so obliging as to accept a power of settling the terms with any person inclinable to purchase.

JAMES MERCER.

IF a certain Charles Vesey, who came into this province about the year 1752 as an indented servant, in quality of a gardener; be still alive, and will make application to Mr. Robert Couden, merchant in Annapolis, he will hear of something to his advantage.

N. B. If any person can give satisfactory information respecting said Vesey, whether dead or alive, he will be handsomely rewarded for his intelligence, upon applying as above. 3w

RAN away from the subscriber, living on Herring Bay, on Sunday the 27th of June last, a negro man named Tom, about 30 years of age, 5 feet 2 inches high; had on when he went away, an osnabrig shirt, an old pale blue German serge jacket without sleeves, patched on the back with white, and a felt hat. Whoever takes up the said negro, or secures him in any jail, shall have 15 shillings reward if taken up in this county, if out of the county 30 shillings and reasonable charges if brought home, paid by

3w WILLIAM CARR.

ALL and every creditor and creditors of Col. James Baxter, or William Baxter, Esq; late of Cecil county, deceased, are requested to inform the subscribers, or either of them, of the nature and amount of their several claims, that the same may be adjusted and paid, so far as the said estates shall extend, in such order as the law directs. The debtors to the said estates, are also desired to be as expeditious as possible in the discharge of their several debts without further notice, from

JOSEPH BAXTER,
w6 THOMAS JONES,
BARUCK WILLIAMS.

Somerset county, June 15, 1773.

THERE is at the subscriber's store, on Wicomico river, a case, supposed to contain looking-glasses, marked H E, N. 1; also three faggots of A. C. steel, in the same marks: these goods were imported in Oct. 1771, in the ship Emperor, Capt. Lockerill, from London to Rappahannock, and shiped by Mr. John Bell of London, Merchant, and brought to Somerset in the schooner Polly, John Parker, master. It was then imagined these goods were either for Somerset, Dorchester, or Worcester, and have been often advertised in these counties; as yet there has not any owner applied for them; I therefore conclude they were brought through mistake from Virginia. The owner is now requested to prove his property, produce his bill of lading, pay charges, and take them away.

w4 HENRY LOWES.

June 16, 1773.

COMMITTED to the jail of Charles county as a runaway, a negro man, who calls himself Simon Piper, and says he belongs to John Hunter, about five miles beyond Frederick-town in Virginia. He is a likely fellow, about 5 feet 4 inches high, well set, of a yellow complexion, the little finger on his left hand crooked; has on, and with him, an old light coloured broad cloth coat, trimmed with silver basket buttons, an old jacket of the same with the back parts of shalloon, a pair of black serge denim breeches and a pair of osnabrig trousers over them, an old fine white shirt and an osnabrig ditto over it, and an old caster hat. The owner of said negro is desired to take him away and pay charges to

8w WILLIAM HANSON, deputy sheriff.

Prince George's county, June 23, 1773.

COMMITTED to my custody as a runaway, a person who calls himself Francis John Salmon, a well made man, about 23 years old, 5 feet 4 or 5 inches high, gray eyes, dark brown hair, which he wears short, and it curls naturally; says he is a free man, that he kept school some time in Essex county in the Jerseys, and also that he lived some time with Mr James Boyd, merchant, at Cohansie bridge in Cumberland county in the Jerseys, from whom he shews a letter of recommendation to Mr. John White, merchant in Philadelphia; he shews also a letter signed James Shields and John White, recommending him generally to the merchants in Maryland, but as the bodies of those letters appear to be wrote in the same hand, it is supposed they are forged. His master, if he has one, is desired to pay charges and take him from

3w RALPH FORSTER, sheriff.

Virginia, April 29, 1773.

To be rented, for a term of years,

THE mills at the falls of James river, in the town of Manchester, which consist of a double sawmill, a gristmill, with two pair of stones, for country work, which is worth about 400 barrels of corn the year, a merchantmill with four pair of best French burstones, and all conveniencies necessary for carrying on the manufacturing business in the best manner; likewise a good dwelling-house with two rooms on a floor, and a cellar and large fireplace in it; as also a large store-house, cooper's shop, stable, blacksmith's shop and tools, and a lot of two acres and a half enclosed about the works. The stream affords water enough for as many more mills, and the works are so situated that they are out of danger from freshes, having never received any damage but from the unparallelled one in May 1771. These works, being placed within a few yards of navigation, and in the most flourishing part of the country, where any quantity of wheat may be purchased, the business of manufacturing, as well as the West India trade, may be carried on to as great advantage as any where on the continent, and a ready market may be had for any quantity of plank, scantling, &c. The saw and gristmills are now finished, and the merchantmill will be finished by the 1st of September next. Any person inclinable to rent the said works, may know the terms by applying to 6w JOHN MAYO.

Annapolis, June 21, 1773.

HIS excellency the governor having taken out letters testamentary on the estate of the late lord proprietary, within this province——Notice is hereby given to all persons who have become purchasers of manor or reserved lands, and have not strictly complied with the terms of sale; that if they do not return certificates and make immediate payment, they may depend that no indulgence can be granted, as the trustees are determined to close the accounts and make a final settlement without loss of time.

Signed per order,

JOHN CLAPHAM.

THE subscriber having declined the business of store keeping for some time, begs leave to request all persons that have dealings with him to settle their accounts without loss of time, otherwise he will be obliged to take such steps as the law directs.

He has still on hand about £. 300 sterling cost of goods, which he will sell upon reasonable terms, and may be seen at Mr. Aikman's store, next door to Mr. Joshua Frazier's. Also a neat phaeton with compleat harness.

3w COLIN CAMPBELL.

N. B. Attendance will be given at Mr. Frazier's.

To be sold by public vendue, on Wednesday the eighteenth day of August next, agreeable to the will and testament of Arthur Charlton,

ALL that valuable lot of ground where the deceased lived, on which is a good two story brick dwelling house, with two out houses, one bricked and the other framed, with a pump of water, smoke-house and kitchen: one half the purchase money to be paid down, the other half not, on giving bond with interest, and security if required.

tf ELEANOR CHARLTON, Executrix.

FIFTEEN POUNDS REWARD.

May 20, 1773.

RAN away from the subscriber's plantation, in Frederick county, on the head of Bennett's creek, on the 17th inst. at night, a convict servant man, named William Flint, about 22 years of age, born in the west of England, a spare slim fellow, about 5 feet 8 inches high, of a swarthy complexion, short black hair, and has lost one of his fore teeth: he had on, and took with him, a white cotton jacket, brown cloth ditto much worn, a pair of leather breeches black and dirty, two white shirts, two pair of stockings and shoes, and a new felt hat; it's possible he may have changed his name and apparel, as he has a sum of money with him.

Whoever takes up the said servant, and brings him either to John Plummer, overseer on the above-said plantation, or to the subscriber living in Anne-Arundel county, near Elk-Ridge church, shall have the above reward for their trouble, besides what the law allows, paid by

tf HENRY RIDGELY.

THERE is at the plantation of Solomon Hickman, living in the sugar lands Frederick county, taken up as a stray, a white horse, about 13 years old, 13 hands high, no perceivable brand: had on a bell marked DB. The owner may have him again, proving property and paying charges.

June 23, 1773.

STRAYED or stolen from the subscriber, living in Frederick-county, within six miles of George-town, a bright bay mare, between 14 and 15 hands high, branded with F on her near shoulder and T on the buttock; she has a star on her forehead and a snip nose, shod before, and is a natural pacer. Whoever will deliver the said mare to Azel Warfield in Anne-Arundel county or to Philip Pock in Frederick county, shall receive 30 shillings, or to the subscriber shall receive 30 shillings, paid by

w3 CHRISTOPHER KEYSER.

Anne-Arundel county, June 25, 1773.

RAN away from the subscriber, 8th day of this instant, a negro man named Till, he is a well set fellow between yellow and black, one of his little fingers doubles so that he cannot straighten it, I think on his left hand, I do not know of any other flesh mark that he has but has been sorely whipped; he is about 5 feet 5 or 6 inches high: had on when he went away a cotton jacket, an osnabrig shirt and old trousers; as for what other apparel he has I cannot tell, as he had other cloaths; he was heard to say if ever he went away again he should endeavour to get on the Eastern shore, where he formerly lived, with my brother Thomas Lane, deceased, in Talbot county, at the head of Wye river, where he is well known. Whosoever takes up the said negro, if 10 miles from home shall have 20 shillings, if 40 miles or at a farther distance shall have 40 shillings besides what the law allows, if brought home or committed to any jail; whoever shall happen on him are desired to take care of him, if he has any opportunity he will make his escape; the above reward to be paid by the subscriber living near Mr. Jonathan Rawlings in the said county.

BENJAMIN LANE.

ON the 11th day of June 1773 came certain Daniel Earls and Cornelius Murphey, to my house and offered themselves to service. On their being examined, they produced a certificate, dated May 27, 1773, signed George Dent, mentioning that they had thrashed for him, and appeared to be industrious men: also produced another certificate, dated May 27, 1773, signed William Hanson, mentioning their being committed to Charles county jail, on suspicion of being runaways, but were afterwards discharged, on being properly examined. They are Irishmen, and appear by their cloathing and smell, to have just come from on board a ship. Daniel Earles is a middle sized man, light hair, well set, full faced and appears to be about 30 years of age: he had on an old coat dark coloured, light coloured jacket, leather breeches and an old linen shirt. Cornelius Murphey is thin visaged, black hair, slender body, and his cloaths near the same as the other. They say that they came passengers into Philadelphia, from thence to Broad-Creek in Maryland, in a sloop; they cannot give any account of Philadelphia nor any part of Maryland, except the parts contiguous to Broad-Creek. I am of opinion they are runaways, although they have been several times taken up and discharged. If they are servants, the owner or owners may find them at the subscriber's living near Elk-Ridge church in Anne-Arundel county, as they are now at work for him.

EPHRAIM HOWARD.

SCHEME of a LOTTERY,

for raiſing 1350 Dollars, for repairing the Road from *Connolloway* to *The winding Ridge*.

Number of Prizes.		Dollars.			Dollars.
1	of	300	is		300
3	of	100	are		300
6	of	50	are		300
51	of	20	are		300
30	of	10	are		300
60	of	5	are		300
75	of	4	are		300
850	of	3	are		2550
1040 Prizes			are		4650
1960 Blanks			gain		1350
3000 Tickets at Two Dollars each amount to					6000

BY the above Scheme there are not Two Blanks to a Prize, and the Prizes ſubject to no Deduction; and as there are many of them very valuable, it is not doubted but the Tickets will very ſoon be diſpoſed of, eſpecially as a great Number of them are already engaged.

The Drawing to begin at *Hagar's-Town*, on Tueſday the Third Day of *Auguſt* next if full, or ſooner if ſooner full, in the Preſence of Three Managers at leaſt and as many of the Adventurers as chooſe to attend.

The Managers are, Meſſ. *Thomas Criſſop*, *Michael Criſſop*, *James Wood*, *Jonathan Hagar*, *John Swan*, *James Caldwell*, *John Caldwell*, and *Richard Yeates*.

A liſt of Prizes will be publiſhed in the *Maryland* Gazette, which will be ready to be paid in One Month after the Drawing. Thoſe not demanded within Six Months will be deemed as generouſly given towards repairing the aforeſaid Road.

Tickets may be had of any of the Managers.

WE do hereby certify, that a certain negro man named BOB, formerly the property of Mackimenia Porter, of the county of Somerſet and province of Maryland, but now the property of Miller and Heſlop, of the county of Spotſylvania and colony of Virginia, merchants, is a ſlave, that he was born ſuch, that his mother and all her children are ſuch, and that any thing to the contrary of their being any thing elſe than actual ſlaves during their natural lives they know not. Given under our hands this 14th day of October, 1772.

William Venables, Caleb Balding, Will. Figgs,
William Horſey, Zach. Maddan, J. Hamilton,
John Mitchell, Peter Cullaway, W. Vaughan.

Virginia, May 25, 1773.

Ran away early laſt December from Mount Pleaſant, in Spotſylvania county, Virginia, the abovementioned negro. I will give ten pounds Virginia currency reward to have him ſecured in any jail on this continent, on notice given in this Gazette, and twenty pounds reward if brought to Fredericksburg.

When he went off he procured a forged paſs ſigned with the name of William Smith, gentleman, one of his Majeſty's juſtices of the peace for the county of Spotſylvania, called himſelf and paſſed as a freeman, by the name of Robert Alexander, but the above certificate will ſhew him to be a ſlave, as it is ſigned by ſeveral people who were formerly his owners. The dreſs he went off in was a dark Bath coat, a brown broad-cloth waiſtcoat, buckſkin breeches, yarn ſtockings, ſhoes, and braſs buckles; but as he is a cunning, artful villain, he may have changed his dreſs. He ſtole ſundry fine linen ſhirts, the property of my partner, Mr. William Heſlop, marked W H: he is tall, above ſix feet high, ſlim made, a very likely fellow, and is handy about all ſorts of plantation work, is by trade a ſawyer, having been bred to it from his infancy, and attended ſeveral ſaw-mills on the Eaſtern Shore, of which place he is a native; he likewiſe underſtands the houſe carpenters buſineſs.

I expect he has puſhed to the northward; indeed he was followed as far as Annapolis, from whence I imagined he croſſed the Bay. If taken up in Maryland or Pennſylvania, and delivered to Mr. David Kerr near Annapolis, Mr. James Jaffrey in Baltimore, or Mr. William Turnbull, merchant, Philadelphia, the above reward will be paid. All maſters of veſſels are forewarned to carry him off at their peril. tf JOHN MILLER.

CHARLES JACOB and ABRAHAM CLAUDE,
WATCHMAKERS FROM LONDON,
Have juſt opened Shop, oppoſite Mr. Ghiſelin's, *in* West-Street, Annapolis,

WHERE they repair all Sorts of repeating, horizontal, and plain Watches, in the neateſt and moſt approved Manner, and at the moſt reaſonable Rates. Thoſe Ladies and Gentlemen that pleaſe to favour them with their Cuſtom, may depend on having their Work done with the greateſt Punctuality and Exactneſs, as they will execute all the Work themſelves without employing any other Perſon, and engage their Work for one Year: They will alſo ſupply any Perſon with Watches of their own make, and warrant them as good as if bought in *London*.

Elk-Ridge Landing, June 5, 1773.

To be ſold at publick auction the firſt Saturday in Auguſt, if fair, if not, the firſt fair Saturday after, for ſterling caſh, good London bills of exchange, or current money,

THE houſe and lot where Joſhua Dorſey now lives. There are on the lot, a good dwelling-houſe, 48 feet by 28, 2 ſtory high, with an addition to one end, 16 by 28, 5 rooms on a floor, with a paſſage through; the houſe quite new, a good cellar under it, 28 by 28, a good kitchen with a brick chimney, and a covered paſſage from the dwelling-houſe to the kitchen, 24 by 10, a good ſmoke-houſe and ſtable, oven and oven-houſe, a good garden well paled, and the poſts all locuſt and cedar, a good well with a pump in it; the whole improvements new and in good order; an excellent place for a publick-houſe, and well calculated either for publick or private life. There is one acre and one quarter of ground to the lot, which is under a rent of three guineas per year for ninety nine years, and renewable for ever. by

tf JOSHUA DORSEY.

N. B. Will be rented after the day propoſed for ſale, if not ſold: alſo a billiard table to be ſold.

May 20, 1773.

In purſuance of a deed executed on the 18th day of May, 1773, by Meſſrs. John Barnes and Thomas How Ridgate, joint partners in trade, to us the ſubſcribers, in truſt for the payment of their debts in the manner in the ſaid deed expreſſed, which deed is recorded among the records of Charles county,

NOTICE is hereby given to the country creditors of the ſaid John Barnes and Thomas How Ridgate, and the holders of bonds and other ſpecialties, and bills of exchange, actually and bona fide executed and drawn by the ſaid John Barnes and Thomas How Ridgate, in the province of Maryland, that we have appointed the twenty firſt day of February next, to meet the ſaid creditors in the town of Port-Tobacco in Charles county, in the ſaid province of Maryland, for the purpoſe of receiving their claims in writing againſt the ſaid John Barnes and Thomas How Ridgate, joint partners in trade as aforeſaid, and releaſes of the perſons of the ſaid John Barnes and Thomas How Ridgate. And that all thoſe of the ſaid creditors, who ſhall neglect or refuſe to ſignify their claims in writing to us or one of us, or who ſhall neglect or rufuſe to releaſe and acquit the perſons of the ſaid John Barnes and Thomas How Ridgate, in conſideration of the benefits and advantages the ſaid creditors are to receive under the ſaid deed, on or before the ſaid twenty-firſt day of February next, will be barred and excluded from all manner of benefit and advantage under the ſaid truſt deed, and the powers therein contained, according to the purport true intent and meaning thereof.

JOHN ROGERS,
THOMAS STONE,
PHILIP RICHARD FENDALL.

Baltimore, May 26, 1773.

DANIEL GRANT,
Who lately kept tavern at the ſign of the Buck, near Philadelphia,

BEGS leave to inform the publick, that he hath opened an inn and tavern, at the ſign of the Fountain, in that large and commodious houſe lately built by Mr. Gough, in Market-ſtreet, Baltimore. He hath provided every thing for the accommodation of gentlemen, their ſervants, and horſes, in the beſt manner; and thoſe who chooſe to favour him with their cuſtom, may be aſſured of his beſt endeavours to merit their approbation. He takes this opportunity of returning his moſt grateful thanks to the gentlemen who did him the honour to frequent his former houſe, and as it ſhall ever be his ſtudy to pleaſe, he hopes for a continuance of their favours.

May 1, 1773.

To be ſold to the higheſt bidder on Saturday the laſt day of July, about noon,

A PLANTATION on Hanſon's branch, in Prince-George's county, about 6 miles from Patowmack-river, at Alexandria, on which are a fine apple orchard, and ſuch buildings as are commonly made for tenants. The tract is clear of all incumberances, contains 208 acres of land. It is ſuppoſed that above 20 acres of it may be made exceeding fine meadow, over which there is a remarkable fine ſpring iſſuing from a rock; it is ſuppoſed that about 100 acres are cleared, and there is timber enough with care to ſupport the land. The ſale to be on the premiſes, when the terms will be made known. ZACHARIAH SCOTT.

Patapſco, June 17, 1773.

ALL perſons having any juſt claims againſt the eſtate of Joſeph Jacobs, late of Anne Arundel county, deceaſed, are deſired to ſend in their accounts properly proved, and thoſe that are indebted to the ſaid eſtate are hereby deſired to make immediate payment without any further notice.

w3 JOSEPH JACOBS, } Executors.
RICHARD JACOBS, }

William Whetcroft, goldſmith and jeweller, at his ſhop in Weſt-ſtreet, has for ſale,

A LARGE quantity of ſilver work ready made, ſuch as ſilver coffee-pots, tea-pots, waiters, tankards, quart, pint, and half pint cans, ſugar-diſhes and baſkets, cream-pots and cows, butter-boats chaſed and plain, pepper caſtors, ſalts chaſed and plain, ſoup-ladles and ſpoons, table, deſert, marrow, and tea-ſpoons, ſugar-tongs, joint and ſpring ſilver ſpurs, plated ditto, whiſtles, punch ladles and ſtrainers, morocco pocket-books, ſilver pencils, nutmeg-graters, with a great variety of new faſhion ſilver ſhoe-buckles, ſet ſhoe, knee, and ſtock-buckles, paſte, marquiſite, and garnet combs, hair flowers of all ſorts, and beautiful paſte necklaces with ear-rings to match them in caſes; new faſhion ſtay hooks, ſettings for miniature pictures and bracelets ſet round with garnets, diamond, topaz, garnet, amethyſt, cornelian, and hoop-rings; box lockets ſet round with garnets, ſilver ditto ſet round with marquiſites, with plain gold ones of different prices; gold and ſilver thimbles, ear-rings of different kinds, garnet broaches ſet in gold and ſilver, plain gold ditto, cornelian ſeals ſet in gold, with a great variety of others ſet in ſilver and pinchbeck, ſet pins of all ſorts, mocoa ſleeve-buttons ſet in gold, white and brown chriſtals in ditto, with almoſt every kind of locket buttons, all which he will ſell on very reaſonable terms; and as he has the greateſt part of them manufactured at his own ſhop, and can depend on the goodneſs of the work, he will engage if any perſon ſhould buy any jewelling work from him, and that any of the ſtones ſhould happen to drop out, that he will reſet it gratis: he likewiſe carries on the clock and watch-making buſineſs as uſual, and has for ſale ſome extreme good eight day and twenty-four hour clocks, with a great variety of watches of different prices, both in gold, ſilver, and fiſhſkin caſes, which he will engage are as good as can be imported for the ſame price, and for the encouragement of ſuch gentlemen and ladies, as may pleaſe to deal with him, he will engage any watches he ſells with his own name, that he will keep them in repair for three ſhillings and ſix-pence yearly, provided they don't get ill uſage, and ſuch gentlemen or ladies that chuſe to commit their watches to his care to be repaired if he do not make them anſwer their expectations he will return them the money they paid him; he alſo covers caſes with ſhagreen or fiſhſkin, and makes them look as well as they did at firſt.

N. B. He likewiſe takes care of clocks in this town, and will keep them in good order, and ſend a man once a week to examine them and wind them up for fifteen ſhillings yearly; he gives the higheſt prices for old gold. ſilver, and ſilver lace.

By Virtue of a Deed of Truſt from Captain William Richardſon, *for the Benefit of his Creditors,*

To be ſold on Wedneſday the 4th of Auguſt *next, by publick Sale, at the Houſe of Mrs.* Chilton, *in* Baltimore-Town,

THAT valuable and well known Tract of Land called *Colrain*, ſaid to contain near 800 Acres, though only patented for 602 Acres. There are about 100 Acres cleared, being the pooreſt Part of the Land, whereon is built, a framed Dwelling-Houſe, 30 by 20 Feet, with Brick Chimnies, having Two Rooms below and Three above, a Kitchen, Meat-Houſe, Milk-Houſe on a Spring, Hen-Houſe, Corn-Houſe, Stables and Barn, and an exceeding good Apple Orchard, about 40 Acres of Meadow are cleared, and under middling Fence; Part whereof is embanked Marſh, the Reſt white Oak Bottom, and upwards of 100 Acres more may be made. This Land abounds with Locuſt, Maple, Hickory, red and white Oak, and is conveniently ſituated in *Baltimore* County, upon *Buſh* River, 4 Miles from *Buſh-Town* and *Joppa*, and 22 from *Baltimore-Town*. There is a good Fiſhery, particularly of Herrings in the Seaſon, and plenty of wild Fowl. It is ſuppoſed to contain plenty of Iron Oar, from the Appearances, is convenient to many Furnaces, and hath a good Landing. Twelve Months Credit will be given to the Purchaſer, and if any inclinable to purchaſe privately, they may know the Terms, by applying to Mr. *James Chriſtie*, Merchant, in *Baltimore-Town*; and Capt. *William Richardſon* will attend on the Premiſes to ſhow the Land.

Annapolis, May 20, 1773.

THE ſubſcriber intending to leave this province the enſuing fall, earneſtly requeſts all perſons indebted to him to make ſpeedy payments; and all thoſe who have demands againſt him, are deſired to make them known, that they may be adjuſted.

JOHN HEPBURN.

Baltimore, May 15, 1773.

On hand—and juſt imported,

A LARGE aſſortment of dry goods, nails, earthen and glaſs ware, beſt London bottled porter; a large parcel of Manchestry of various ſorts, a few caſks of beef, and ſome fine barley, &c. &c.—Which are to be diſpoſed of, for caſh, or produce, or at the uſual credit, by

6w JAMES CHRISTIE, junr.

N. B. All thoſe indebted to me are deſired to pay immediately.

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